# GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department – Appointment of the Commissioner of Food Safety, as per section 30 of Food Safety and Standards Act 2006 read with Rule 2.1.1 of the Food Safety and Standards Rules, 2011 – Orders – Issued.

## **HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (L.1) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Rt.No. 101 Dated:16-01-2013
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.549 Health, Medical & Family Welfare (L.1) Department, dated: 04-04-2012.

2. G.O.Rt.No.18, General Administration (Special-A) Department, dated: 02-01-2013.

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#### ORDER:

The Government of India has promulgated integrated food law namely Food Safety and Standards Act 2006 (Act No.34 of 2006) by repealing all the existing food laws /orders and it came into force from 5-8-2011. The implementation of the FSS Act is vested with the State Government through the Commissioner of Food Safety appointed under section 30 (1) of the said Act.

- 2. As per Rule 2.1.1. of the Food Safety and Standards Rules, 2011 "No person below the rank of Commissioner and Secretary to State Government shall be eligible to be appointed as the Commissioner of Food Safety".
- 3. In the  $G.O.1^{st}$  read above Government has issued orders by appointing Sri Praveen Prakash, I.A.S., the Commissioner of Health and Family Welfare as Commissioner of Food Safety. In the  $G.O.2^{nd}$  read above his services were placed at the disposal of the Government of India and was relieved on 02-01-2013.
- 4. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1) of section 30 of the Food Safety and Standards Act 2006 read with Rule 2.1.1. of the Food Safety and Standards Rules 2011, the Government in supercession of the orders issued in the G.O. 1<sup>st</sup> read above, hereby appoint the Commissioner of Health and Family Welfare as Commissioner of Food Safety for the State to exercise the powers and perform the functions under the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 and the Rules 2011 & Regulations 2011 made there under with effect from 03-01-2013.

# (BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

# K.R.KISHORE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Commissioner of Health and Family Welfare, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner of Food Safety, Hyderabad.

### Copy to:

The Director of Institute of Preventive Medicine, Public Health Labs & Food (Health) Administration, A.P. Hyderabad.

//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

**SECTION OFFICER**